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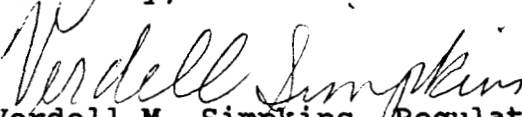
Mr. Norbert W. Makowka  
Technical Director  
National Association of Fire  
Equipment Distributors Inc.  
401 North Michigan Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60611

Dear Mr. Makowka:

This is in reference to your letter dated February 2, 1994, requesting an amendment of § 173.309(a)(3)(iv), adopted in a final rule published under Docket HM-166X. Specifically, you request the removal of a reference to paragraph (e) of 29 CFR 1910.157.

Your letter has been accepted as a petition for rulemaking under § 106.31 and assigned number, P-1224. If you should write to us regarding this petition, please make reference to this petition number.

Sincerely,

  
Verdell M. Simpkins, Regulatory  
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Exemptions and Approvals